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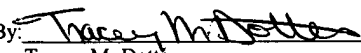
SERIAL NO. 10/643,154

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	STAHMANN et al.	Examiner:	Alter, A.
Serial No.:	10/643,154	Group Art Unit:	3762
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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 9, 2005, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, the Applicants submit the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111.

Claims 1-48 and 80-100 remain pending in the application. The Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION begin on page 2 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 14 of this paper.

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